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PANEL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY INFORMATION(EQI), PARIS, NOV 12-13,
1973. SUMMARY REPORT

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HIGHLIGHTS (RECORD OF MEETING WILL BE DISTRIBUTED NEXT WEEK).

1. PROGRESS REPORTS. STATEMENTS BY PARTICIPANTS FROM TEN
MEMBER-COUNTRIES REVEALED CONSIDERABLE PROGRAM IN NATIONAL
COORDINATION OF EQI. THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES INTEND TO ESTABLISH
TWO EQI GROUPS, ONE OF WHICH WILL BE GEARED TO SPECIFIC USER
REQUESTS.

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2. UNEP (UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM) SENT TWO

REPRESENTATIVES WHO DESCRIBED THE PROPOSED IRS (INTERNATIONAL REFERRAL SYSTEM) FOR UN-WIDE EQI. THE PANEL AGREED THAT OECD MEMBER-GOVERNMENTS BE ASKED TO SEND TO THE SECRETARIAT (BY FEB 20, 1974) SYNOPSES OF THEIR DRAFT PLANS VIS-A-VIS IRS. THESE SYNOPSES WILL BE COLLATED AND CIRCULATED BY THE SECRETARIAT TO OECD MEMBER-COUNTRIES AS INFORMAL REFERENCE MATERIAL FOR THE UNEP/IRS MEETING IN NAIROBI, MAR 4-6 1974. UNEP REPS EXPRESSED SATISFACTION AT THIS INITIATIVE, WHICH IS ALSO A FIRST RESPONSE TO THE REQUEST BY THE CPST/ENV COMMITTEE JOIN GROUP FOR AN OECD/IPG CONTRIBUTION TO IRS.

3. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION. THE CHAIRMAN (MEL DAY, DEPUTY-DIRECTOR, US NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE) OUTLINED THE US PLAN TO ESTABLISH A TOXICOLOGY DATA BANK, WHICH WILL BE DISCUSSED MORE FULLY, AS APPROPRIATE, AT A MEETING IN 1974. THE US INITIATIVE, IT WAS EMPHASIZED, WILL COMPLEMENT, NOT DUPLICATE, UN AND EC PLANS IN THE SAME FIELD, AND WILL ALSO EVENTUALLY PROVIDE FURTHER INPUT INTO UNEP/IRS.

4. POISON CENTERS. AN AD HOC MEETING WILL BE SCHEDULED TO COORDINATE OBJECTIVES AND PROGRAMS OF MEMBER-COUNTRIES, WHO AND THE EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION OF POISON CENTERS.

5. FUTURE ACTIVITIES. THE PANEL DECIDED THAT ONE SPECIFIC POLICY ISSUE SHOULD BE TREATED IN DEPTH AT EACH MEETING. A SMALL STEERING GROUP WILL PREPARE SUCH FORUM DISCUSSIONS.

6. NEXT MEETING: PROBABLY NOVEMBER 1974.BROWN

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